

Health Facilities Commission Conducting a Healthcare Needs Assessment for Upper Cumberland Region and Asking for Survey Responses

NASHVILLE – The Tennessee Health Facilities Commission (HFC) is conducting a Healthcare Needs Assessment to determine the true need in healthcare in the Upper Cumberland region. Pursuant to Public Chapter 557, HFC is required to prepare a report to present to the General Assembly.

“Between received survey responses and other health related data, an analysis will be done to help create a clear assessment of the healthcare needs in the region. With a clear conclusion, the assessment will be shared with interested parties in the hopes of establishing services that will fill the needs within the area,” said Alecia Craighead, Data and Analysis Administrator in the Health Facilities Commission.

The Health Facilities Commission is requesting residents of Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Dekalb, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Morgan, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Scott, Smith, Trousdale, Van Buren, and White counties to complete the survey to assist in collecting data.

The survey can be accessed at <https://www.tn.gov/hsda/needs-assessment.html> or by calling 615-741-2364 to receive a paper copy. The survey is completely anonymous and should take less than ten minutes to complete. HFC will be collected survey responses until September 1, 2022.

“Every opinion and response is important for us to complete this assessment. Thank you for taking the time to help the State of Tennessee with this worthwhile project,” HFC Executive Director Logan Grant said.

If you have any questions, please contact Alecia Craighead at (615) 741-2364 or email her at alecia.l.craighead@tn.gov.

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